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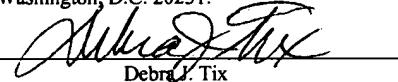
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(COLOSSUS)-- Allen B. Childress

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a disclosure including a title page, an 18 page specification, 13 pages of claims (Claims 1-59), and a one page abstract. In addition, we have also included drawings, Figures 1a - 6, on 5 sheets. The disclosure and drawings constitute the application of Allen B. Childress for the above-entitled invention.

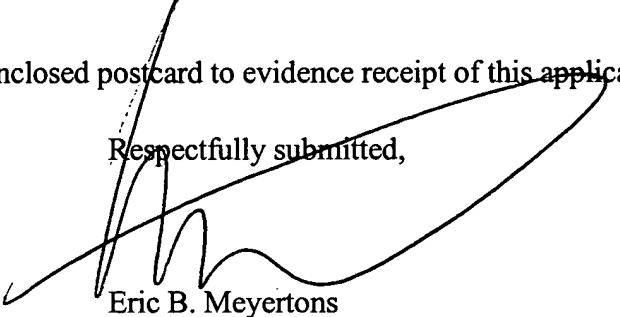
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